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## **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated September 25, 2000, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 15-28 and 50-52.

03/29/2001 MBROWN 0000The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 07-0630 in the amount of \$310 to cover the foreoforthis appeal and to charge the deposit account for any further fees in regard to this patent application. A duplicate copy of this Notice is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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